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(Case No. 00-432-A)

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Cai, et al.

Serial No. 09/892,024

Filed: June 26, 2001

Title: Aryl Fused Substituted 4-oxy-  
Pyridines

Examiner: B. M. Robinson

Group Art Unit: 1625

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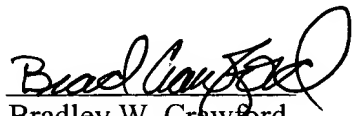
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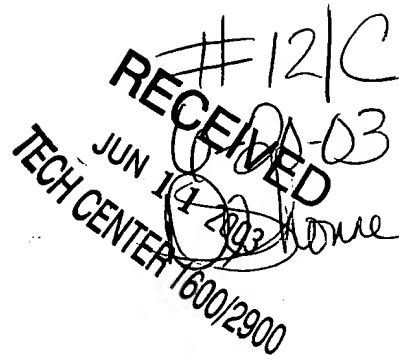
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED NOVEMBER 5, 2002 and  
the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment  
(Voluntary Revised Practice) mailed May 14, 2003

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 5, 2002, and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice) mailed May 14, 2003, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the patent application identified above in view of the following amendments and remarks.